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**BEING THE**  
**Fifth Called Session**

**OF THE**  
**FORTY-FIRST LEGISLATURE**

**BEGUN AND HELD AT**  
**The City of Austin, February 19, 1930**



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## Proclamation of the Governor.

The Chair laid before the Senate the Governor's proclamation as follows:

Proclamation by the Governor  
of the State of Texas

To All to Whom These Presents Shall  
Come:

Whereas, The Forty-first Legislature at its Fourth Called Session has not had time in the thirty day period limited by the Constitution to Special Sessions of the Legislature to dispose of pending business, and among such pending and undisposed of matters are the following:

1. The enactment of legislation to provide for the reorganization and rehabilitation of the Texas prison system.

2. The hearings pursuant to the resolution adopted by the House of Representatives of the State Legislature at the Fourth Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature providing for an investigation of certain charges made against the State Comptroller of Public Accounts. And,

3. The raising of sufficient revenue to meet the supplemental demands of the State departments and institutions.

Now, Therefore, I, Dan Moody, Governor of the State of Texas, do, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution of this State, hereby call a Special Session of the Forty-first Legislature to be convened in the city of Austin, commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., on Wednesday, the 19th day of February, A. D. 1930, for the following purposes:

1. To pass legislation providing for the reorganization, reformation and rehabilitation of the Texas prison system and the improvement of the Texas prison system into a modern penal institution.

2. To facilitate a fair and impartial trial of charges made against the State Comptroller of Public Accounts. And,

3. To provide revenues to meet the supplemental demands of the State departments and institutions.

In Testimony Whereof I hereunto sign my name and cause to be impressed hereon the Seal of the State of Texas at Austin, this the 18th day of February, A. D. 1930.

(Seal.)

DAN MOODY,  
Governor of Texas.